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REPORT

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1. The following table lists the export of potassium permanganate (KMnO_4) by VEB Elektrochemisches Kombinat (electrochemical combine) in Bitterfeld, East Germany (all figures in metric tons):

USSR	2,100
China	550
Poland	175
Czechoslovakia	145
Korea	70
Bulgaria	25
Rumania	30
Hungary	82

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2. About 900 tons were consumed within East Germany.

1. Comment: Presumably for 1955.

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